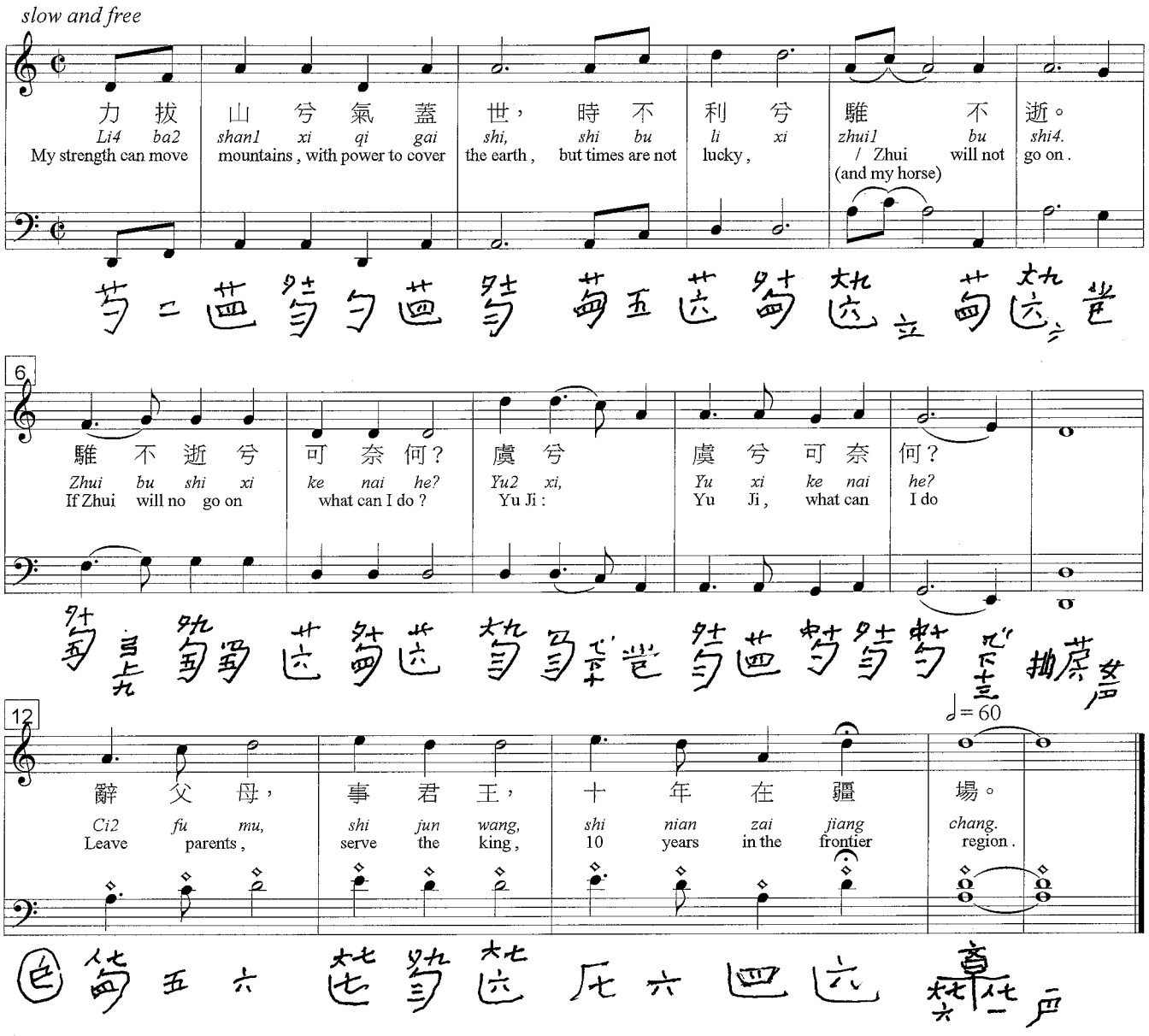
楚歌
Chu Ge
20. Song of Chu

Tuning and mode not stated but must be
楚商調 *Chushang Diao* (= 淒涼 *Qiliang*).
2 4 5 6 1 2 3 (2 = B-B flat).
Prelude and 11 Sections, titled but unnumbered.

太古遺音 *Taigu Yiyin* (1511)
1st two lines are 力拔山操, a poem
in 樂府詩集 *Yuefu Shiji* attributed to
項羽 Xiang Yu; the rest not yet identified.

(Prelude; acts as a *Chushang* Modal Prelude (楚商調意 *Chushang Diaoyi*)

slow and free



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